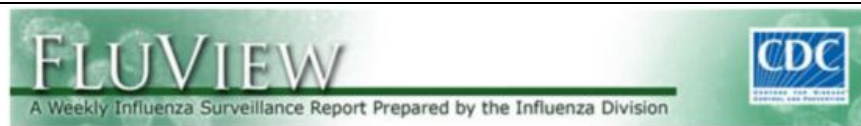




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Continuing Education

<http://www.immunizedelaware.org/for-professionals/continuing-education-events/>

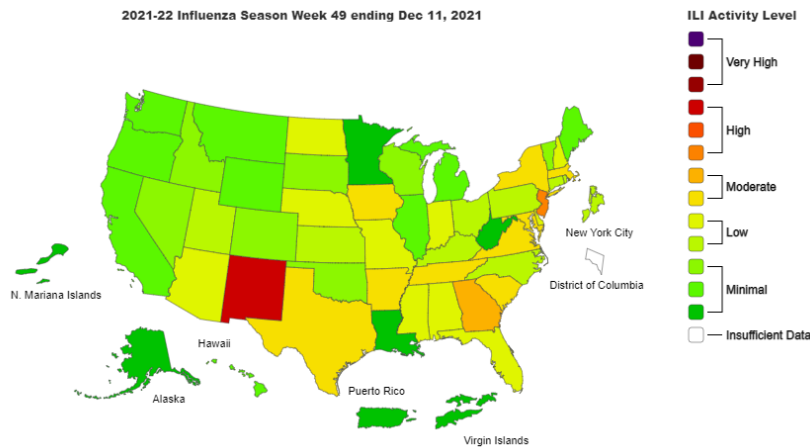


2021-2022 Flu Season

Week 49 (December 5-11, 2021)

United States

Seasonal influenza activity in the United States is increasing, including indicators that track hospitalizations. The amount of activity varies by region.



Delaware (Widespread)

There have been 125 laboratory confirmed cases of influenza in Delaware so far this season.

Location	This Week	2021-2022 Season
Statewide	99	224
New Castle	72	151
Kent	12	24
Sussex	15	49
Hospitalizations	2	7

Deaths	0	0
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Flu News

- New target for universal flu [vaccine](#) found

Coronavirus Updates

CDC Situation Summary: <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/index.html>

COVIDView: A weekly surveillance summary of US COVID-19 activity:
<https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/covid-data/covidview/index.html>

Confirmed Cases -

Delaware		United States		Worldwide Cases	
Total	172,827	Total	52,283,401	Total	280,032,484
Deaths	2,271	Deaths	816,610	Deaths	5,402,430

Delaware (<https://myhealthycommunity.dhss.delaware.gov/locations/state>)

- NCC 97,631; KC 32,682; SC 41,826
- Hospitalizations: 388, critical: 55
- Percentage of tests positive: %
- Breakthrough cases: 9,858
- Delaware Specific COVID-Vaccine Information (de.gov/covidvaccine)
- Delaware Vaccine Release Tracker ([MyHealthyCommunity](#))
 - o As of December 26, Delaware has administered 1,531,842 doses of the COVID-19 vaccine
 - Fully Vaccinated: 566,694 (59.2%)
 - 18+ (one dose):
 - o COVID-19 [vaccination clinics](#)

Updates

- FDA authorizes first oral [antiviral](#) for treatment of COVID-19
- FDA authorizes [additional](#) antiviral for treatment of COVID-19 in certain adults
- NYC vaccination [mandate](#) for private sector in effect
- [Omicron](#) cases in the EU top 3,000

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<https://wwwnc.cdc.gov/eid>

WHO Disease Outbreak News (<https://www.who.int/emergencies/disease-outbreak-news>)

- December 23: West and Central Africa – Yellow Fever
- December 23: South Sudan – Hepatitis E

CDC Current Outbreak List (<https://www.cdc.gov/outbreaks/index.html>)

- *Listeria* – Dole Packaged Salads
- *Listeria* – Fresh Express Packaged Salads

Travel Notices

- Volcanic Eruption – East Java Province, Indonesia
- COVID-19
 - o Very High: Chad, Lebanon
 - o High: Albania
 - o Moderate: Comoros, the Bahamas
 - o Unknown: Moldova

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In other news...

- Delhi: six additional [Dengue](#) deaths reported

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